

Black Hills Health Care System Department of Veterans Affairs



PGY1 Residency

The VA Black Hills PGY1 Pharmacy Residency will train pharmacists in the setting of a large, rural VA health care system. While both inpatient and outpatient learning experiences are required during this program, pharmacist involvement in ambulatory care is broad. An elective teaching certificate program is available which equips residents to pursue a position in an academic setting. Feedback from both residents and preceptors is valued and used to proactively customize each resident's experience.





PGY2 Ambulatory Care Residency

The VA BHHCS Ambulatory Care PGY2 Residency will further develop the resident's skills in direct patient care, leadership, and education through a variety of experiences tailored to the individuals needs and goals. Upon successful completion of the program, graduates will be equipped to obtain an ambulatory care certification and serve as a ambulatory care clinical pharmacist in either the clinic setting or academic setting.

Direct Patient Care Experiences

Required

- Patient Aligned Care Team (Longitudinal)
- Anticoagulation (Longitudinal)
- Community Living Center (Longitudinal)
- Home Based Primary Care (Longitudinal)
- Internal Medicine 1 (Rotational)
- Internal Medicine 2 (Rotational)

Elective

- Oncology (Longitudinal)
- Pain Management (Longitudinal)
- Mental Health (Longitudinal)

Additional Experiences

Required

- Orientation (Rotational)
- Practice Management (Longitudinal and Rotational)
- Residency Project (Longitudinal)
- Medication Use Process (Longitudinal)
- Professional Development (Longitudinal)
- Practice Coverage (Longitudinal)

Elective

• Teaching Certificate (Longitudinal)

Required Experiences

Core Rotations

- Patient Aligned Care Team (Longitudinal)
- Anticoagulation (Longitudinal)

Other Required Experiences

- Orientation (Concentrated)
- Practice Management (Longitudinal)
- Residency Project (Longitudinal)
- Drug Information (Longitudinal)
- Practice Coverage* (Concentrated or Longitudinal)

*Requirement and structure of this rotation determined upon resident's incoming background and skill.

Elective Experiences

Elective Options (Select Two)

- Emergency Department/Urgent Care
- Mental Health
- Pain Management
- Home Based Primary Care "HBPC"

Electives may be longitudinal, compressed, or rotational depending on resident interest, skill and background.

Additional Experiences

• Teaching Certificate (Longitudinal)